

Notes for: Ichabod! The Legend of Sleepy Hollow

Your review needs to answer all of the following questions thoroughly:

What is the title of your review? (do this question last)

What is the name of the movie being reviewed?

What genre does this movie fall into?

The story is the most important part of the movie. The story is the tale the movie tells. Is the story of *Ichabod!* a good one? Why?

The actors have a powerful role in a film. They have the job of playing characters in the story and attempt to make them believable. Express your opinion about one of the characters in *Ichabod!*

The set (or the scenery) provides the setting for the movie. Did the set for *Ichabod!* help tell the story? Why or why not?

The characters in *Ichabod!* sing and dance. What did you think of the songs? Did the lyrics tell us what the characters were thinking or feeling? Were the dances important in telling the story?

The costumes should tell the audience when and where the action of the story takes place. What did you think of the costumes in *Ichabod*? Write about one of the character's costumes and describe why you think his/her costume was effective or not.

The director of the movie is responsible for making sure that all of the elements of the movie (the storytelling, acting, filming, and editing) come together in the film. Do you think the director of *Ichabod*! was successful in making this movie?

The reviewer (that's you!) either recommends the movie as something people should definitely watch, or informs his/her readers that the movie is average or fair. What are your recommendations for this film? How many stars would you give it? Use the following ratings:

*****Excellent ****Very Good ***Average **Fair *Weak